

Special Education Director Call

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Extraordinary Cost Fund (ECF)

- ECF Board Minutes can be found at http://doe.sd.gov/ofm/exordincost.aspx
- 1st time there hasn't been enough funding to cover all requests.
- Total Appropriation available was \$4,940,197. Total Requests was \$4,973,283. Deficit of (\$33,086)
- Requests were adjusted based districts that grew their fund balance with ECF funds.
- Next year Appropriation is \$4,000,000 plus \$80,000 carry over
- High cost student application takes priority over high cost program

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Extraordinary Cost Fund (ECF)

- · High Cost Program
 - High costs due to remote area and need to contract for services that may be unavailable locally or through a coop
 - Developing a program to meet the needs of a specific pool of students present in the district
 - May be to bring residentially placed students back or
 - Develop a program to delay/prevent the need to consider more intensive placements

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Logging into the GMS To log into the GMS you will go to, https://sddoe.mtwgms.org/SDDOEGMSWeb

- /logon.aspx
 The first time you log into the system you will use your email address and temporary password.
- Superintendent or Business Official can grant access if you do not have it. If you need further assistance you may call the grants management office.

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Grants Management System

Now we are going to go through the application.

FY2018 GMS Application

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IDEA Flowthrough Application

Some important things to remember:

- Comprehensive Plan has to be done within the last year.
- You have to meet Maintenance of Effort before the application is approved. If you have an accounting code to differentiate you can use the local only options to meet MOE.
- Districts in a cooperative also fill out the form but it is a paper version that the cooperative attaches.
- Assurances are also in the application. You must complete all assurance (Common, IDEA and GEPA Statement) before you can submit the application.

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Questions??

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Tip of the Month - ESY Services

- Clearly document the offer of ESY services in the IEP, including a listing of dates, times, services, accommodations and any needed special transportation, even if parents decline services.
- Transfer students: The Office of Special Education Programs
 has interpreted the "comparable services" requirement to
 encompass the provision of ESY services, if those services are
 in the IEP that is in effect at the time of the transfer. Letter to
 State Director of Special Education, 61 IDELR 202 (OSEP
 July 19, 2013).
- Resources: http://doe.sd.gov/oess/sped-IEP.aspx under Extended School Year

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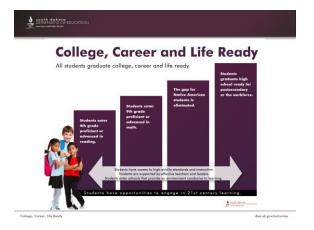
All Students Graduate College, Career and Life Ready

-DOE Aspiration

Students Graduate high school ready for post-secondary education or the workforce.

College, Career, Life Ready

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Proficiency in Reading by 4th Grade

Proficiency in Math by 9th Grade

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Rtl Tip of the Month

- Explicit Instruction
 - Make directions clear. Speak briefly and clear.
 - $\boldsymbol{\mathsf{-}}$ Require frequent responses from students.
 - Provide immediate corrective and positive feedback.
 - Review!

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College and Career Ready

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Indicator 14 – Appendix A

Students that have graduated, aged out or dropped out this year.

- Completed in Launch Pad
 - Use Internet Explorer browser for best results
- Username and password different than Indicator 11-12
- For login information have Sped Director contact Beth.Schiltz@state.sd.us

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Indicator 14 – Appendix A

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Two Options

- · April June:
 - Districts **may** enter student data
 - If you decide to enter data, you will need enter all the data (in Appendix A)
 - Demographic data
 - Part 2 data (IEP specific information)
 - Contact information for a family member or friend
- August through September:
 - Most information uploaded
 - Only need to add IEP specific information and parent contact information

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Effective Teachers and Leaders

Students are supported by effective teachers and leaders.

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SPP Coordination

- SPP Coordination position ending in June
 - School districts will continue to receive data reports yearly
 - Will contact your region rep or indicator contact to assist with analyzing and explaining the data
 - SEP will provide training on Indicator date through
 - Technical assistance (calls or email)
 - Sped Director Calls
 - Webinars

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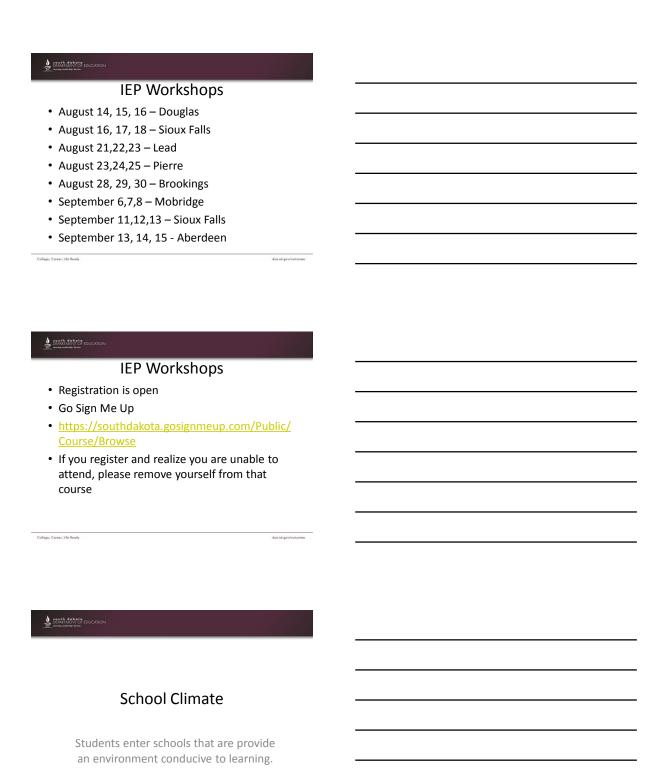


IEP Workshops

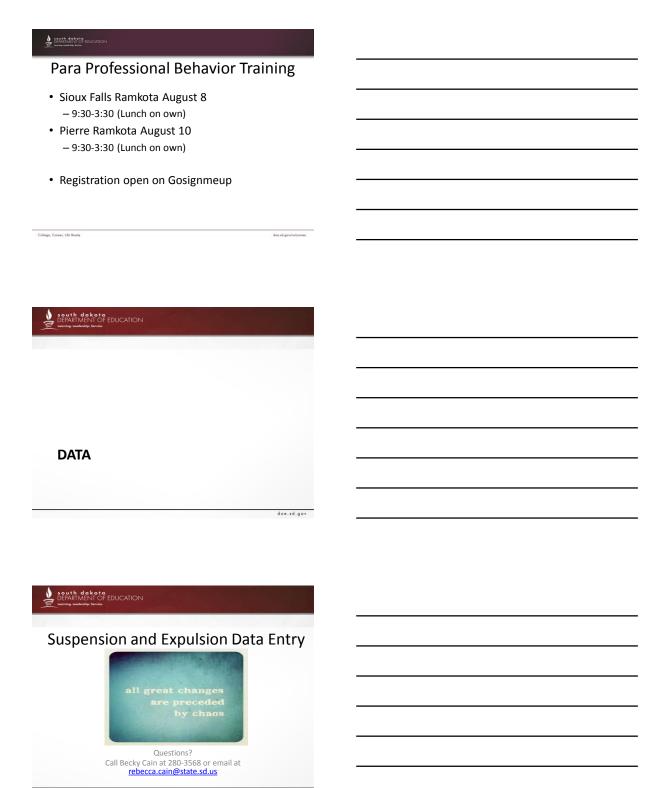
- New Format
- 3- day cycle
- Day 1 Basic
- Day 2- Advanced session will occur in the morning and afternoon
- Day 3 Transition

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Things That Have Changed:

- Help boxes with definitions of what goes in each box.
- Red messages will appear if you enter something that doesn't match
- Only see one section at a time
- Each section will ask for:
 - Overall
 - Disability Category
 - Race Category
 - Gender Category
 - LEP Category
- Submit=locked!

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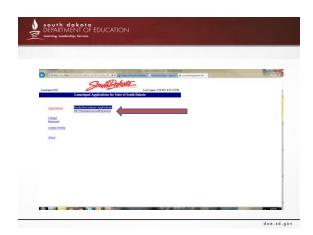


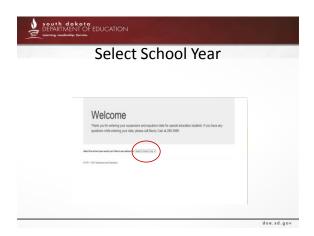
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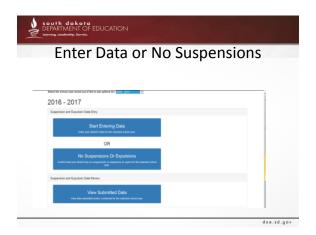
- Sending today
- If you need username contact rebecca.cain@state.sd.us

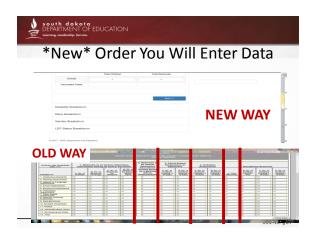
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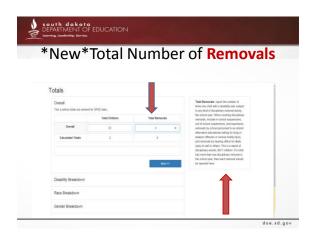






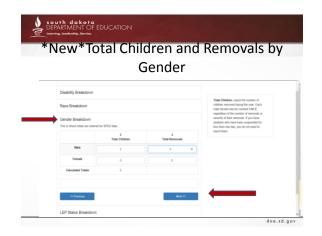


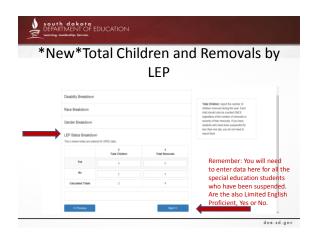




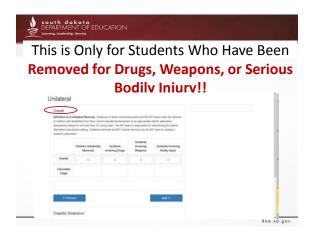




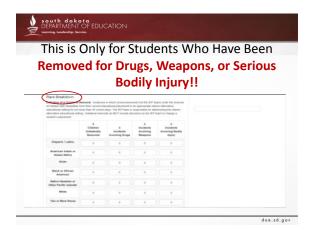


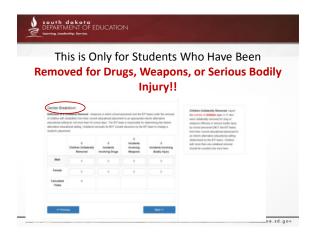






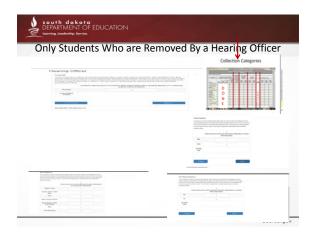


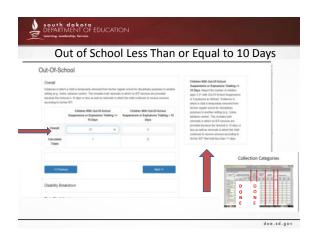


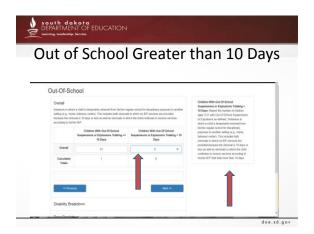




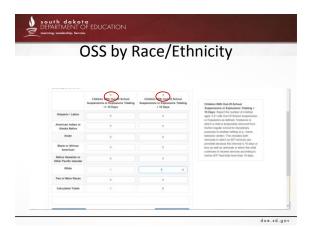




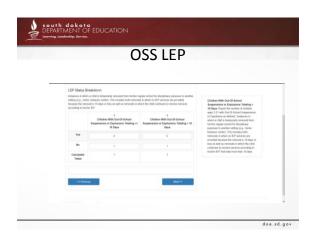


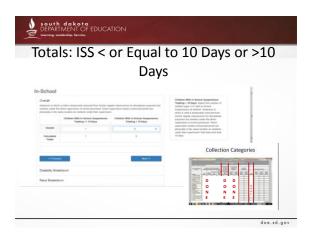








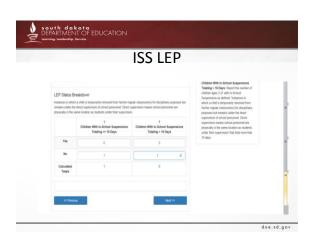


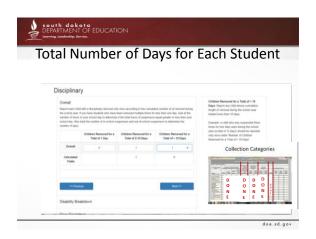


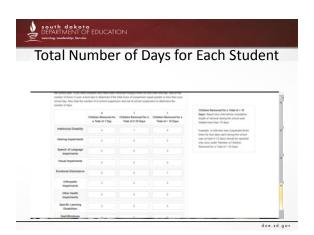


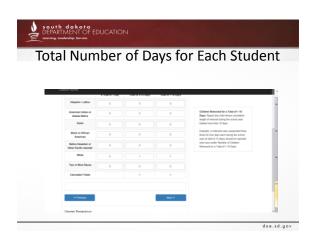


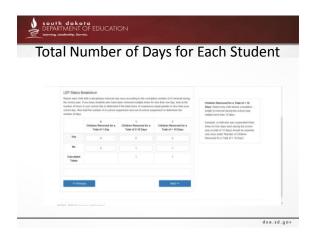


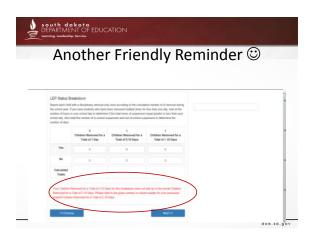




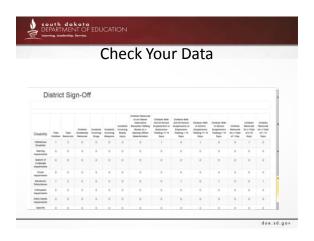




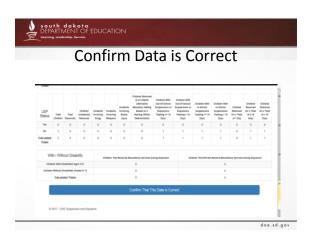








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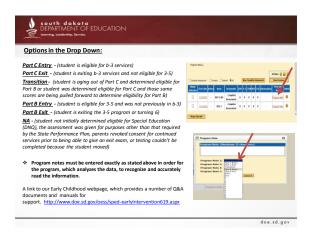
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Districts will be contacted to correct Program Notes. They ${\bf MUST}$ be entered exactly utilizing the dropdown feature:

- This notifies the state of the district's "purpose of the testing" and helps track data.
 Districts must enter one of the following BDI-2 program notes below for each child. The drop down feature was added to help lesson the risk of errors.
- NOTE: We recognize there are times when students transfer into your district and a
 program note was not entered appropriately by the previous school. Best practice
 would be to check the program note upon receipt or contact the state if there are
 questions regarding what should be added. Often times transcripts will reflect the
 purpose of testing and can easily be updated. It is always helpful to contact the
 reporting district if you have questions.
- Included is a list of Program Notes and their corresponding definitions. All information
 added after January 1st, 2016 must be entered exactly as stated below. Anything prior
 to Jan. 1st, 2016, which closely matches the wording below, has been accepted and
 does not need updating.

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Parental Rights and Procedural Safeguards

- There will be no changes for the 2017-2018 school year
- http://www.doe.sd.gov/oess/documents/SPE
 D parentalrights handbook.pdf

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TEACHER OR DISTRICT SHARING

 It is your time to shine: help us celebrate teacher and/or district accomplishments by letting your region rep know

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Teacher or District sharing

- Retiring Sped Directors
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- If we missed anyone, please let us know. Thank you for your service!

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Teacher or District sharing • 'A great tribute' as board recognizes special

- 'A great tribute' as board recognizes special ed director's honor (Mitchell):
- The South Dakota Counsel of Administrators of Special Education (SDCASE) recently named Mrs. Tracy Christensen the S.D. Outstanding Special Education Administrator of the Year. Mrs. Christensen is the director of SPED for the James Valley Consortium which serves 4 school districts: Mitchell, Parkston, Sanborn Central, and Woonsocket. Mrs. Christensen has served as administrator for the JVC for the last 15 years and is known for her caring, innovative approach to ensuring that all children with disabilities receive an educational program best suited to meeting their individual needs. Her office is located at Longfellow Elementary School.

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Next Sped Directors LiveMeeting

August 15, 2017

(3rd Tuesday of the Month)

10:00 CST

Topics in August:

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